NEW UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Docket No. 24116-502

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| Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application, for an invention entitled: |
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| "AN APPARATUS FOR PRESSURE BASED BLOCKING PROCESS FOR LENS MANUFACTURING" |
| And invented by: |
| Konrad Bergandy and Wieslaw Bergandy |
| F A CONTINUATION APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply requisite information: |
| Continuation Divisional |
| Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application Nos.: |
| Enclosed are: |
| Application Elements |
| I. X Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below |
| 2. X Specification having 21 pages and including the following: |
| a. X Cross-reference to related applications |
| b. Claim to priority |
| c. Statement regarding Federally-sponsored research/development (if applicable) |
| d. X Field of the invention |
| e. X Background of the invention |
| f. X Summary of the invention |
| g. X Brief descriptions of the drawings |
| h. X Detailed description of the invention |
| i. X Claims as classified below |
| j. X Abstract of the disclosure |
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| Application Elements (continued) | | | | | | |
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| 3. X Drawing(s) (when necessary as prescribed by 35 U.S.C. 113) | | | | | | |
| Formal X Informal Number of sheets: 11 (Figs. 1-10) | | | | | | |
| 4. Oath or Declaration | | | | | | |
| a. Newly executed (original or copy) Unexecuted | | | | | | |
| b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d) (for continuation/divisional applications only) | | | | | | |
| c. With Power of Attorney Without Power of Attorney | | | | | | |
| Incorporation by reference (usable if Box 4b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is Supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. | | | | | | |
| 6. Computer program in microfiche | | | | | | |
| 7. Genetic sequence submission (if applicable, all must be included) | | | | | | |
| a. Paper copy | | | | | | |
| b. Computer readable copy | | | | | | |
| c. Statement verifying identical paper and computer readable copies | | | | | | |
| Accompanying Application | | | | | | |
| 8. Assignment papers (cover sheet & document(s)) | | | | | | |
| 9. 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) statement (when there is an assignee) | | | | | | |
| 10. English translation document (if applicable) | | | | | | |
| 11. Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS citations | | | | | | |
| 12. Preliminary Amendment | | | | | | |
| 13. X Acknowledgment postcard | | | | | | |
| 14. Certified copy of priority document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) | | | | | | |
| 15. Certificate of Mailing | | | | | | |
| First Class Express Mail (Label No.:) | | | | | | |
| 16. Small Entity statement(s) # submitted (if Small Entity status claimed) | | | | | | |
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| | | Accompanying | g Applicatio | n (continued) | | | |
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| 7. X Additional | enclosures | s (please identify l | below): | | | | |
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| he filing fee for th | is utility pat | ent application is | calculated a | nd transmitted as | follows: | | |
| Large Entity X Small Entity | | | | | | | |
| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | | | | |
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| Total Claims | 10 | - 20 = | 0 | x \$18.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Independent Claims | 3 | - 3 = | 0 | x \$86.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) | | | | | | | |
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| X Charge any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17. | | | | | | | |
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